IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **SAITO**, **Makoto**Group Art Unit: **3621**

Serial No.: 09/476,334 Examiner: John W. Hayes

Filed: January 3, 2000 Confirmation No.: 7676

For: DATA COPYRIGHT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Attorney Docket No.: 990696A Customer Number: 38834

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

September, 27 2004

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS AS AMENDED				AND A SEEL		
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Small Entity	Large Entity	Additional Fee
Total Claims	36	35	=	11	X \$9	X \$18	18.00
Independent Claims	15	13	=	2	X \$43	X \$86	172.00
						280	\$0
							\$190.00

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<u>XX</u> Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$190.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this amendment.

<u>XX</u> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866. Two duplicates of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Mailstop Amendment Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

September 27, 2004

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 27, 2004 and having a period for response initially set to expire on August 27, 2004. A Petition for one-month extension of time is filed herewith, thereby extending the period for response until September 27, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of the paper.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.